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REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This is a reply to the Restriction Requirement mailed July 2, 2007 setting a thirty (30) day statutory period for response, i.e., by August 2, 2007. Please enter the following amendment, election and remarks into the record:

Election begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 8 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.

ELECTIONS

Restriction Requirement

In response to the requirement to elect the invention of one (1) group, Applicants hereby elect the invention of Group II, *i.e.*, claims 17 and 20, which are drawn to a non-human mammal that expresses an MHC restricted TCR and a peptide that binds to said TCR. By amendment, claims 2-6, 8-12, 14-15 and new claims 46 - 55 should be included in this election.